



H. A.

Attorney's Docket No.: 10278-014001

#3 0300

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Douglas A. Treco et al.
Serial No. : 09/716,166
Filed : November 17, 2000
Title : NUCLEIC ACID CONSTRUCT FOR OPTIMIZED PRODUCTION OF PRODUCTS

Art Unit : Unknown
Examiner : Unknown

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicants submit the references listed on the attached form PTO-1449, copies of which are enclosed.

This statement is being filed before the receipt of a first Office Action on the merits.
Please apply any charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 4/18/01

Laurie Lawrence, Reg. No. 46,593
Louis Myers
Reg. No. 35,965

Fish & Richardson P.C.
225 Franklin Street
Boston, MA 02110-2804
Telephone: (617) 542-5070
Facsimile: (617) 542-8906

20243526.doc

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FIRST CLASS MAIL

I hereby certify under 37 CFR §1.8(a) that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage on the date indicated below and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Date of Deposit

April 18, 2001

Signature

Megan O'Meara

Typed or Printed Name of Person Signing Certificate

Megan O'Meara